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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) PATENT
CHMELA, Franz et al.)
Serial No.: 10/575,113) GROUP:
Filed: June 6, 2006) EXAMINER:
METHOD FOR OPERATING AN INTERNAL) CONFIRMATION NO.
COMBUSTION ENGINE) CUSTOMER NO. 25269

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 23, 2006

Sir:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed June 29, 2006, please
amend this application as follows: